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THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

NORTHERN ALASKA ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER, et al., Case No. 3:20-cv-00187- SLG

Plaintiffs,

v.

DAVID BERNHARDT, et al.,

Defendants.

PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF RELATED CASE (Local Rules 3.1 and 16.1(e))

Pursuant to Local Civil Rules 3.1 and 16.1(e), Plaintiffs Northern Alaska Environmental Center et al. provide notice that the following related case was filed on October 7, 2020 in the United States District Court for the District of Alaska: *Alatna Village Council et al. v. Padgett et al.*, Civil Case No. 3:20-cv-00253-SLG.

That case and this action challenge federal agency approvals for the Ambler Road, including authorizations by the Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The cases raise some similar and overlapping claims under the National Environmental Policy Act, the Clean Water Act, and the Federal Lands Policy and Management Act. The cases both raise distinct claims and violations under the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act. *Alatna Village Council* also raises a claim under the National Historic Preservation Act. The cases are currently assigned to the same judge. The Plaintiffs do not seek consolidation.

Respectfully submitted this 16th day of October 2020.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on October 16, 2020, I caused a copy of the PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF RELATED CASE to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court for the U.S. District Court of Alaska using the CM/ECF system which will send electronic notification of such filings to the attorneys of record in this case.

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